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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Thomas W. POPLAWSKI et al.) Group Art Unit: 3624
Application No.: 09/772,601) Confirmation No.: 1711
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For: ELECTRONIC BILL PRESENTMENT AND PAYMENT SYSTEM AND METHOD)))

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, and in response to the Final Office Action dated June 13, 2005 in the above-identified application, Applicants submit this paper for consideration, and respectfully requests that the Amendment be entered and the application be reconsidered in view of the remarks made herein.

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Remarks start on page 8 of this paper.